

Securities & Investments: Stock Market



Prerequisite: None

Course: 1225CT

Credits: 1

Length: 18 weeks

Placement: 9-12

Course Description

Do you want to make money while you sleep?

Did you know:

- The first stock market began under a tree back in the late 1700s.
- As of May 2013, the New York Stock Exchange is the world's largest stock exchange by market capitalization of its listed companies at \$16.613 trillion.
- Investing is not as hard as it sounds.

If you want to be a millionaire, then you should enroll in Securities and Investments. Come learn how to set yourself up for life!

Topics of study include: stocks, bonds, mutual funds, securities fraud, investor protection, real estate as an investment, and financial careers.

Student Activities

Class competition based on value of virtual stock market purchases

Play Stock Market Tycoon board game to learn the ups and downs of the stock market

Manage a \$100,000 portfolio with an investment group and compete against other student groups

Learn about securities fraud cases like Martha Stewart and Mark Cuban's insider trading cases

DECA Competitions

Organizations

DECA is the CTSO for students enrolled in Business, Marketing or Finance courses.

DECA students have access to:

- Guest speakers
- Field trips to the Cowboys Stadium, Mavs game, Six Flags and MOCK DECA competition

Local, State & Nationwide travel with DECA competitive events

Texas DECA Site

